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WILSON CALLS FOR CONGRESS.

Extra Session Will Be Convened at Noon on April 7th.

Washington, March 17.—President Wilson to-day issued the formal proclamation convening Congress in extra session at noon April 7th. The President's pronouncement was brief and followed form closely. It stated merely that "Whereas, public interests require," Congress would be convened in extra session by order of the Executive.

Originally, Mr. Wilson had fixed upon April 1 as the date, Representative Underwood, Democratic majority leader, having informed him that the tariff bills, to which it was agreed Congress should give immediate attention, would be ready on that date. Mr. Underwood found, however, that the ways and means committee would need a little more time for preparation.

Burglar's Affinity Goes Back Home.

Chicago, March 15.—Mrs. Mabel Clarkson, wife of Rev. N. K. Clarkson, who deserted her husband and children for Owen Conn, now under arrest for burglary in San Francisco, returned to Chicago to-day. The woman was arrested in Milwaukee, but was released when the police discovered that she had never been in California and was not wanted in connection with Conn's escapades there.

Mrs. Clarkson to-day had not determined whether she would go to her husband's home, though he had publicly announced that he was ready to take her back.

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KING OF GREECE ASSASSINATED.

Brother of Queen Mother Alexandra, Son of Late King of Denmark.

Salonika, March 18.—King George, of Greece, was assassinated here this afternoon.

King George, who had taken personal command of his troops during the earlier period of the war, had been here since December, when the Turkish fortress was occupied by the Greeks, after a short siege.

The Queen of Greece also had been here and has been of great assistance in the care of sick and wounded.

King George had a meeting here in December with King Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, to discuss the fate of the captured Turkish territory after the war.

Brother to "Queen Mother."

King George was in his 68th year and had ruled 50 years. He was a brother of Queen Mother Alexandra, of England, and a son of the late King of Denmark. He was chosen King of the Hellenes in 1863 in succession to Otto I.

A previous attempt to assassinate him was made in 1898. It was frustrated.

King George was married in October, 1867, to Princess Olga, eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine, of Russia, a brother of the late Emperor Alexander II.

Crown Prince Constantine, who has been in active command of the Greek troops throughout the Balkan hostilities, and who was at the head of the army which recently captured the Turkish fortress of Janina with its garrison of 32,000 men, will be the successor of his father. His wife is Princess Sophia, a sister of the German Emperor.

King George was often rated as an autocratic monarch, but in spirit he was democratic and did much for the prosperity of Greece, which advanced rapidly under his rule. He took great interest in the organization of the defensive forces of the country, and with the assistance of the Crown Prince, brought the army to a state of efficiency which enabled it to overcome the Turkish resistance at the beginning of the war.

His name was mentioned, after hostilities broke out, as a candidate for the presidency of a permanent federation of the Balkan States, consisting of Greece, Serbia, Montenegro and Bulgaria.

THE ERNEST SANDERS FUND.

Little Fellow in School With a Few Dollars to His Credit.

John W. Shelor, who started the movement recently in the interest of Ernest Sanders, the little blind boy, was in town Monday and stated that he has seen the little fellow safely within the institution for the deaf, dumb and blind at Cedar Springs, this State, where he will be given every care and attention.

After all expenses incident to securing the admission of the child into the institution that has done so much for the unfortunate ones of our State, there is a small balance left on hand, and this has been deposited in the Bank of Walhalla for Little Ernest, to be used only for him as necessity arises. The statement of the fund to date is as follows:

On hand last statement	\$34.43
4th Grade, Walhalla School	1.30
Contributions through Courier	4.50
"Cash," Seneca	1.00
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Clearmont school	.75
Mrs. Anna J. Groves, Texas	.50
Mrs. Maer, Texas	.50
Frank W. Cannon	1.25
Total contributions	\$44.23

Less amount paid for clothing, medical services, Dr. J. W. Wickliffe, and traveling expenses to Cedar Springs, including deposit with the principal \$28.95

Balance deposited in bank for Ernest Sanders \$15.28

Mr. Shelor desires that The Courier extend to each one who contributed to this fund the sincere thanks of the little fellow, his parents and of Mr. Shelor himself, who has become deeply interested in the child in his pitiable condition. The work done has been one of real charity, and each contributor to the fund has assisted in a work that comes peculiarly within the bounds of good deeds "In His Name."

Powers Refuse Balkan's Terms.

Berlin, March 17.—The European powers will this week inform the Balkan allies that their suggested terms for peace negotiations with Turkey are inadmissible. The powers will decline to submit them to Turkey.

A carefully worded note to this effect was drawn up by the ambassadors in London at their latest conference and now is under consideration in the various European capitals. It is to be handed to the allies after it has been approved by a further conference in London on Wednesday.

The note will suggest that a modification of the allies' demands is "indispensable."

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HAWTHORNE FOUND GUILTY.

Son of Famous Novelist Sentenced to One Year in Prison.

New York, March 15.—The Hawthorne mining trial, which has dragged along nearly four months before a jury in the Federal Court here, came to a close to-day with the conviction of the three defendants, Julian Hawthorne, Dr. Wm. J. Morton and Albert Freeman, and the acquittal of Josiah Quincy, twice mayor of Boston, and assistant Secretary of State during the Cleveland administration.

Hawthorne, Morton and Freeman were found guilty of making fraudulent use of the mails in selling stock in the exploitation of Canadian ore claims. Quincy, exonerated by United States Judge Mayer on all counts of five indictments before the case reached the jury, was held not guilty on the one remaining indictment of conspiracy in allowing his name to be used in promoting the scheme. The jury was out twenty-seven hours.

Judge Mayer pronounced sentence on the three men whom the jury had found guilty and paroled Quincy until next October, when he is directed to appear to answer to two indictments still pending against him. Freeman, a New York business man for 26 years, was sentenced to five years in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta; Hawthorne, the novelist, and himself an author, and Dr. Wm. J. Morton, son of Dr. W. T. G. Morton, the first user of ether in surgical operations, were each sentenced to one year and one day at Atlanta. Freeman's prison term is to date from the first of the present year and the terms of Hawthorne and Morton from November 26, the day the trial was begun.

Of twenty-seven counts against the three men found guilty, Freeman was acquitted of four and Hawthorne and Morton of seven each. Judge Mayer granted a ten-day stay to allow an appeal.

Suspension Refused.

Counsel for Hawthorne pleaded for suspension of sentence for the author. "Fault of judgment rather than bad intent" was advanced in Hawthorne's behalf. "I will ask your honor to consider that the defendant is getting on in years," said counsel. "He is peaceful, is true, too, that the long ordeal which the trial has been to him, and the realization that the name he had labored so long and so hard to keep clean is sullied, are sufficient punishment."

Judge Mayer, denying this request, declared that the defendants had "the fairest trial possible." They were charged by the government with having obtained about \$600,000 from the public in their exploitation of the so-called Hawthorne properties. Hawthorne, Freeman and Morton were locked up in the Tombs.

Only one more gin day—Tuesday, April 1st. Bear this in mind, and if you have cotton to gin, bring it in. Westminster Oil and Fertilizer Co., Westminster, S. C. adv.

8 STUDENTS DECLARED GUILTY.

North Carolina Sophomores Convicted of Manslaughter.

Hillsboro, N. C., March 15.—Ralph W. Oldham, William L. Merriam and Aubrey C. Hatch, University of North Carolina students, convicted to-day for manslaughter in connection with the death of Isaac Rand, a fellow student, and sentenced to four months in jail, were released to-night by order of the Orange County Commissioners. In pronouncing sentence Judge Peebles instructed the County Commissioners to hire the prisoners out "to whomsoever they please in the State." To-night the fathers of each of the students were permitted to pay \$175 to the commissioners and secure the discharge of their sons. This amount would have been obtained if the prisoners had been hired to other persons in the State.

Discharge under this arrangement leaves the students without citizenship. A movement was started at Raleigh to-night, however, to petition Governor Craig for their pardon. Establishing a precedent in the annals of this State, a verdict of guilty of manslaughter was returned this afternoon by the jury in the trial. There is no record of a hazing escapade being threshed out previously in the courts of this State.

An array of counsel represented the defendants in the proceeding, which began last Thursday. As a result of the tragedy which preceded the trial, 26 students in the University of North Carolina were suspended or expelled after a sweeping investigation into the practice of hazing at the institution.

Electrocuted Selves Instead of Fish.

Lancaster, Ohio, March 15.—While trying to kill fish in the Scioto river by charging the water with electricity from a wire attached to the third rail of the nearby tracks of the Scioto Valley Traction Company, Dudley and David Bobbitt were electrocuted.

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FIRST WEEK OF COURT ENDED.

Several Cases Disposed of After Last Wednesday—Jail About Empty.

As we went to press last Wednesday the trial of the case of the State vs. L. E. Moore, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, was in progress, going to the jury about 12 o'clock, when the case of the State vs. Will Smith, charged with murder, was taken up.

The record of cases disposed of, following those reported last week, is as follows:

The State vs. L. E. Moore—assault and battery with intent to kill. Guilty of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. Sentence: That the defendant pay a fine of \$100, or that he be confined upon the public works of Oconee county or in the State penitentiary for a period of three months. Sentence suspended until the first day of the next session of court.

The State vs. Will Smith—murder. Guilty of manslaughter. Sentence: That the defendant be confined upon the public works of Oconee county, at such labor as he may be able to perform, for a period of two years, or for a like period in the State penitentiary.

The State vs. Green Thompson—murder. Guilty, with recommendation to mercy. Sentence: That the defendant be confined upon the public works of Oconee county, at hard labor, for the period of his natural life, or for a like period in the State penitentiary.

The State vs. Will Cooper—breach of trust with fraudulent intent, and grand larceny. Prosecutor failed to appear and case was ended.

The State vs. Jacob Rothel, Earle Long and Ab Long—forgery. Not guilty.

The State vs. Gus Smith—violation of dispensary law. Continued.

The State vs. George Tate—assault and battery and resisting an officer. Tried and convicted in absence at former term of court, defendant being under recognizance to appear and receive sentence at present term. Failing to appear Judge Shipp signed an order to defendant and his bondsmen to appear at next term of court to show cause why the bond should not be estreated and judgment entered against them for the sum of \$200.

The State vs. Bill Terrell and Wade Lyons—appeal from Magistrate's court, on charge of refusing to work the public roads. The evidence failing to show that the defendants had been properly warned to perform service on the public roads, the judgment of Magistrate's court was reversed, the sentence annulled and the defendants dismissed.

The State vs. LeRoy Slaton—using abusive and profane language. Appeal from Mayor's court. Judgment and sentence of Mayor's court sustained and appeal dismissed.

Grand Jury Presentment.

Wednesday afternoon the grand jury made their final presentment for the term, which is as follows:

The State of South Carolina, County of Oconee.—To His Honor, S. W. G. Shipp, Presiding Judge:

We have passed upon all bills of indictment that have been handed us by the Solicitor.

We have, by committee, visited the county home and farm, and find that there are ten white and two colored inmates, who are well cared for and contented. The farm is well terraced and in good condition.

We have, in a body, visited the county jail, and find that the recommendations made at the fall term of Court are being carried out by the Supervisor. We recommend that a new fence be erected enclosing the jail lot and premises.

We desire to commend the Supervisor and County Commissioners for refusing to audit for payment the accounts presented by Magistrates for services rendered as acting Coroner at inquests, as we are informed by your Honor that such accounts against the county are unauthorized by law.

We recommend that the Magistrates of the county each appoint a lawful constable, who shall enter into bond for the faithful performance of his duties as now required by law, and that the appointment of special constables be discontinued, except in cases of emergency.

We desire to thank your Honor and the other officers of the Court for the courtesies extended us in the performance of our duties, and beg to be excused from further attendance upon this term of Court.

Respectfully submitted,

C. R. D. Burns,

Foreman of Grand Jury.

The Court of Common Pleas was opened Monday morning last, the General Sessions Court having been adjourned sine die Friday evening about 6 o'clock, the criminal docket having been pretty well cleared.

Monday morning the case of J. H. Johns against Nancy Smalley, C. C. Simpson and others was begun, going to the jury Tuesday morning, and a verdict being rendered Tuesday afternoon. This was a suit for recovery of real estate and for trespass. The verdict of the jury called for judgment against C. C. Simpson for \$127.50.

NEWS UP ON LITTLE RIVER.

Melton Alexander Called to His Reward—Other Local Items.

Little River, March 18.—Special: Owing to the recent heavy rains farming has been given another setback. Little River at this point was very full on the 14th and 15th. Mr. Whitten, rural carrier on Salem Route 1, was delayed some each day, but was able to make his rounds.

Rev. S. A. Tow filled the pulpit at this place, the first Sunday in the absence of Rev. C. R. Abercrombie.

Mrs. Mary E. Holden, after spending some time visiting in Pickens, has returned to her home here, to the delight of her many friends. Mrs. Holden is 88 years of age and remarkably strong for that age. She is able to go anywhere around her home and has not even had a cold this winter. She makes her home with W. M. Perry, her son-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. West Galloway have another inmate added to their home. It's a girl.

Mrs. J. H. Wigington last week visited her brother, R. E. Smith, of Stamp Creek, who is very sick with grip and fever. He was slightly improved when she returned to her home.

It was the good pleasure of your scribe, with his companion and baby boy Lawrence, to visit friends at Old Pickens, Catechee and Norris last week. At Norris we met N. A. Alexander, one of Salem's citizens for many years. He was postmaster at Salem and also ran a mercantile business, which occupation he still follows. He is holding up remarkably well for a man of his age. At the same place we met I. D. Rice, who, like Mr. Alexander, moved from Salem, and is still in the mercantile business and owns good property at that place. We also noticed the sign of J. D. Littleton, Merchant, but we failed to meet him. He is a former Oconee man and moved from the Salem section. I also noticed that one of his sons is telegraph operator at Norris Station.

Down at Catechee we had the pleasure of meeting with an uncle and aunt and many cousins, relatives and friends, the most of whom could not recognize the one they met.

The sad news of the death of Melton Alexander, of Pickens county, (Six-Mile section), was received in this section a short time back.

His death occurred at his home March 6th at 3 p. m., from grip and the infirmities of age. The deceased was in the 83d year of his age. Mr. Alexander was a devout Christian, and had been a consistent member of the Baptist church for forty years. He was an affectionate father a devoted husband, generous friend, and served his country four years in the bloody War Between the States. The remains were lowered to their last resting place in Fag's Grove cemetery, near his home, on March 8th, at 11 a. m., after appropriate funeral services, conducted by Rev. Thomas Land, of Seneca, in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. The deceased was married twice, and leaves a wife and eight children. Melton Lusk, Charles Carnes, Melton Alexander, Anderson Alexander, Silas Alexander and Rufus Alexander acted as pall bearers. The children are: Melton Alexander, Abbeville; Charles Alexander, Boice, Idaho; Anderson Alexander, Williamston; Rufus Alexander, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Silas Alexander, at home; Mrs. W. H. Lusk, Salem; Mrs. Charles Carnes, Catechee, and Miss Anna Alexander, at home. The deceased was well and favorably known in Oconee and Pickens counties, where he was highly esteemed by all who knew him. The bereaved family and relatives have the deepest sympathy of many friends in their time of sorrow.

F. G. Holden, of Georgia, was circulating among friends here the first of the week, and also visited his brother, William Holden, of Fall Creek.

Famous Sioux Chief Dead.

Washington, March 15.—"Hollow Horn Bear," big chief of the Sioux Indians on the Rosebud (South Dakota) reservation, and probably the most famous of all Sioux chieftains, died here early to-day of pneumonia. For 64 years the big chief had defied death on the warpath, the plains, the mountains and the forest, but the inclemency of March weather in Washington, where he came to attend President Wilson's inauguration, was too much for the old warrior. When he was stricken last Wednesday, the young chiefs of his party consented to take him to the pale face medicine men at a hospital, where it was seen there was no hope.

"Hollow Horn" lingered in a semi-conscious condition until early to-day, when, just about the time the breakfast smoke was curling through the tops of his people's epees on the Dakota reservation, the Great Spirit called him to the happy hunting grounds. Born a pagan, "Hollow Horn" died a devout Christian. Rev. William H. Ketchum, director of the bureau of Catholic missions, gave him the last rites.

being tried at the same time and by the same jury. The action is for the recovery of land. The matter is still before the jury, who were taken to Seneca this morning for the purpose of going over the lots of land in dispute. The case may occupy the remainder of the day.